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## RESPONSE TO THE NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT APPEAL BRIEF

This communication is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief (hereinafter "Notice") dated July 8, 2011, and includes a replacement section for page 2 of the Appeal Brief filed on June 22, 2011.

No fees are believed to be necessary. If any fees are necessary, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0029 and requested to notify us of the same.

## REPLACEMENT SECTION

Please replace the statement of the status of all claims (item III on page 2 of the appeal brief) with the following item:

## III. STATUS OF CLAIMS

The status of the claims is as follows:

Claims 3-6, 9-11, 14, and 18-33 stand rejected.

Claims 3-6, 9-11, 14, and 18-33 are under appeal.

The Applicant believes this response fully addresses the concerns raised in the Notice.

Respectfully submitted,

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